IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO EASTERN DIVISION

United States of America

v. 2:18-cr-74

William D. Merckle

ORDER

There being no objections, the court hereby adopts the Report and Recommendation of the magistrate judge (Doc. 27) that the defendant's guilty pleas be accepted. The court accepts the defendant's plea of guilty to Counts 3 and 10 of the indictment, and he is hereby adjudged guilty on those counts. The court will defer the decision of whether to accept the plea agreement until the sentencing hearing.

Date: September 21, 2018 _____s\James L. Graham

James L. Graham United States District Judge